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UN SOURCE INFORMED US MORNING MARCH 15 THAT UNMO'S IN SOUTHERN LEBANON HAVE REPORTED ISRAELI TANK COLUMN ROLLING NORTH THROUGH NEQUORA AT 5:15 LOCAL MARCH 15. UN STATION AT NEQUORA UNDER IDF CONTROL AND IS NO LONGER IN RADIO CONTACT WITH UNTSO HEADQUARTERS IN TENDEN.

OTHER REPORTS FROM UNMO'S STATE THAT ISRAELI AIR STRIKES OBSERVED ON BINT JBAIL, MAROUN/ER/RAS, NABATIYA, EL KHIAM AND RAS AL BAYYADAH. FOUR IDF SHIPS OBSERVED SHELLING TYRE. CONFIDENTIAL

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